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BIG JAPANESE FLEET MAY NOT VISIT US AFTER ALL

LONDON, December 10.—In a dispatch from Tokio the correspondent of the Times, referring to the satisfaction with which President Roosevelt's message to Congress had been received in Japan, says the members of the Upper House seem disposed to veto the idea of sending a squadron to the Occident in 1907, lest the visit of Japanese warships to American ports should be misconstrued.

It is stated in a Tokio message that the American Embassy has received the following telegram from San Francisco: At the instance of the Central Government the Port authorities of San Francisco have decided to give expression to the goodwill of that city towards Japan on the occasion of the visit by the Japanese training squadron next spring. Consultations will be held with the other authorities concerned with a view to preparing a welcome.—Kobe Herald.

The training squadron, consisting of the Hashidate, Itsukushima and Matsushima, with the cadets of this year's graduation on board, leaves Yokosuka on the 5th prox, on a distant cruise. The squadron will first proceed direct to America. On its return trip, it will leave Honolulu on April 6, next year, and arrive at Chinaiwan on May 4. From Chinaiwan, it will again start for a cruise along the Chinese and Korean coasts, returning to Yokosuka on July 1. The cruise to America is solely for training purposes and has no other object.—Japan Times.



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German Honey Cake; Peppernut and Matzipan; Plum Pudding; Schaun; Fancy Cakes to order; Patties to order; Mince Pies.

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MARINE

The Oceanic S. S. Alameda arrived from the Coast yesterday morning some hours late, being detained in the Molokai channel because of the thick weather, making it necessary to lie to. The liner had sailed an hour late from the Coast but had caught up with this and would have docked at her usual time but for the weather conditions just before her arrival. As it was she made the run in five days, twenty-two hours and thirty minutes.

She brought in an average number of passengers and 1420 tons of freight, much of this being refrigerator goods. A heavy one day's mail, of 97 sacks, was delivered. Among other Christmas goods included in the Alameda freight was a number of Christmas trees from the fir belt.

Among the arriving passengers were a party of Roman Catholic clergy, two of whom are Bishops of Australian dioceses. This party is returning to the Colonies from Rome, having gone to the Vatican by the Suez Canal route. On their trip they visited most of the important points of Europe and America. They will take the next Oceanic steamer for their home.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 12, 1906. Referring to the Notice to Mariners issued by this office on December 4, 1906, in regard to the removal of San Francisco Light-vessel No. 70, on or about January 1, 1907, and the marking of the station by Relief Light-vessel No. 76, the following correction is to be noted in the characteristic of the fog-signal:

During thick or foggy weather Light-vessel No. 76 will sound a 12-inch steam whistle with the same characteristic as that sounded from Light-vessel No. 70, viz.: blasts of two seconds' duration, separated by silent intervals of 23 seconds, thus:

Blast, 2 sec.; silent interval, 23 sec.; blast, 2 sec.; silent interval, 23 sec.

By order of the Lighthouse Board, H. T. MAYO, Commander, U. S. N., Inspector, 12th Lighthouse District.

AMERICAN-HAWAIIAN SAILINGS.

The American-Hawaiian S. S. Nebraska will not arrive here in time for Christmas as had been at first expected. She sailed from the Coast on the 18th inst., being due to arrive here on Thursday next.

The S. S. Nebraska will also be at sea on Christmas and New Year's Day as well, being due to sail from the Sound on the 24th. This will bring her to Honolulu on January 2.

The Nebraska will make only a short stay here, being scheduled to sail for the Sound on the 28th.

ARIZONAN RETURNS FROM HILO.

The A.-H. S. S. Arizonan returned yesterday afternoon from Kahului and Hilo, where she had gone last week to load sugar. The big freighter has on board the first of this season's crop to be taken out. She will be held here for some days to take on the balance of her cargo, sailing about the first of the year for Salina Cruz with the first Hawaiian cargo for the Tehuantepec route to New York.

HOLIDAY INTER-ISLAND CHANGES.

Owing to the fact that Christmas Day falls upon the regular day of departure for the Inter-Island steamers Kinau, Likelike and Maui, those vessels will depart next week for their various ports one day late.

The steamer Mikahala, from Kauai, will leave that island in time to reach Honolulu on Monday instead of on Tuesday.

CLAUDINE TOOK MANY PASSENGERS.

The steamer Claudine, which departed last night for Maui and Hawaii ports, was booked full, every cabin being occupied. The majority of the passengers were residents of the big island returning home in time for the holidays.

The steamer Mauna Loa also took out a good crowd.

HAWAIIAN'S PILIKIA.

John Kanai who claims to be a Hawaiian sailor, was at the Custom House yesterday complaining of bad treatment accorded him by the captain of the Doric. He speaks good English, and claims that just before sailing the captain sent him off the ship. Mr. Beaumont sent him to the British Consul, as the Doric is a British ship.—Manila Times, November 21.

TWO LINERS DEPART.

Two big liners sailed from Honolulu yesterday, the S. S. China departing at 6 o'clock yesterday morning for the Orient and the S. S. Doric getting away for the Coast at 9 o'clock. The Doric had just time to clear Koko Head before encountering the heavy wind which came up most strongly about 10 o'clock yesterday morning.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The southerly storms of last week tore the outer buoy at Pearl Harbor from its moorings, washing it in to the shore. An attempt was made this week to tow the buoy back to its position but the tug taken down proved unequal to the task. The buoy will be relocated as soon as a tug powerful enough for the work can be contracted for.

The American-Hawaiian Steamship Company will shortly put into operation their plan of making Honolulu their headquarters so far as shipping and paying off the crews of their vessels here is concerned, the announcement of this plan having been made some weeks ago in the Advertiser. Under this arrangement it is supposed that the deck crews of all their vessels in the Pacific will be made up largely of Hawaiians, with whom the company has been experimenting for some time. This policy of the American-Hawaiian Company will be the means of putting upwards of \$150,000 a year into local circulation.

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WORLD'S NEWS DAILY.

BY AUTHORITY.

TERRITORY OF HAWAII.
Office of the High Sheriff of the Territory of Hawaii.
Notice.

To All Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that a jury, duly and regularly drawn by the undersigned to visit and inspect the locality of a certain proposed improvement, to wit, the opening of a certain highway from the Ewa end of Wyllie street to the Alewa lands in the District of Honolulu, Island and County of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, and to decide upon the propriety of the work or measure proposed and to report thereon, will meet at the corner of Wyllie and Liliha streets, in said District of Honolulu, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1907, at the hour of three (3) o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at which time and place all concerned may appear and be heard by the jury in relation to the proposed improvement.

A map and blue print of the said proposed improvement and highway may be seen upon application in the office of the undersigned.

Dated, Honolulu, this 21st day of December, A. D. 1906.

WM. HENRY,
High Sheriff, Territory of Hawaii.
7605

NOTICE.

PAYMENT OF SEWER RATES.

In accordance with Chapter 84 of the Revised Laws of 1905, all those holding sewer privileges or paying sewer rates are hereby notified that the sewer rates for the six (6) months ending June 30, 1907, will be due and payable at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, on the first day of January, 1907.

A failure to pay such rates within fifteen (15) days thereafter will subject the holder to 10 per cent. additional.

M. K. COOK, Chief Clerk.

Approved:

C. S. HOLLOWAY,

Superintendent of Public Works.

Department of Public Works, December 15, 1906. 7202

NOTICE.

PAYMENT OF WATER RATES.

As provided for in Chapter 45 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, 1905, all persons holding water privileges or those paying water rates are hereby notified that the water rates for the six (6) months ending June 30, 1907, will be due and payable on the first day of January, 1907.

On all such rates remaining unpaid on January 15, 1907, an additional charge of 10 per cent. will be made.

All privileges upon which rates remain unpaid on February 15, 1907, are subject to immediate shut off, without further notice.

Rates are payable to the Chief Clerk of the Department of Public Works, at the office of the Honolulu Water Works.

(S.) J. H. HOWLAND,

Superintendent of the Honolulu Water Works.

7602—Dec. 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 31.

NOTICE OF SALE OF GENERAL LEASES OF PASTORAL LANDS.

At 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, December 29, 1906, at front entrance to Judiciary Building, Honolulu, there will be sold at public auction, under the provisions of Part V., Land Act 1895 (Sections 278 to 285, inclusive, Revised Laws of Hawaii), general leases of the following-described portions of public lands:

1. 7350 acres, more or less, of the land of Nienie, Hamakua, Hawaii, to be used for pastoral purposes.

Term, 21 years from September 8, 1907.

Upset rental, \$1764 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

2. 4130 acres, more or less, of the lands of Kamoku-Kapulea, Hamakua, Hawaii, to be used for pastoral purposes.

Term, 21 years from September 8, 1907.

Upset rental, \$991.20 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

3. 11,990 acres, more or less, of the land of Kaohu 3rd (slopes of Mauna Kea), Hamakua, Hawaii, to be used for pastoral purposes.

Term, 21 years from September 8, 1907.

Upset rental, \$500 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

All of the above leases will contain provisions regarding fencing of boundaries, removal of pests such as "Thimble Berry," "Ivy," etc.

The Government reserves also the right to resume possession, at any time, of such portion or portions as may be required for public purposes or for settlement purposes under Sections 4 and 7, Land Act, 1895.

4. 555 acres, more or less, of the land of Paunahi, Kohala, Hawaii, to be used for pastoral purposes.

Term, 5 years and 6 months from January 1, 1907.

Upset rental, \$351 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

For plans and full particulars regard-

ing reservations, fencing, tree planting, removal of pests, etc., apply at office of undersigned, Judiciary Building, Honolulu.

JAS. W. PRATT,

Commissioner of Public Lands.
Honolulu, November 28, 1906.
7585—Nov. 29; Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29.

NOTICE OF SALES OF PUBLIC LAND SITUATE AT WAIANAE, OAHU, T. H.

At 12 o'clock noon, Monday, December 31, 1906, at front entrance to Judiciary Building, Honolulu, there will be sold at public auction, under the provisions of Part IV., Section 17, Land Act 1895 (Section 276, Revised Laws of Hawaii), the following described public land:

336.0 acres, a little more or less, of remnants of agricultural lands, together with 491.35 acres of coral and sandy land located at Waianae-kai, Oahu.

Upset price, \$69,656.75. Terms, Cash, U. S. gold coin.

For plans and further particulars, apply at office of the undersigned, Judiciary Building, Honolulu, T. H.

JAS. W. PRATT,

Commissioner of Public Lands.
Honolulu, T. H., December 1, 1906.
7593—Dec. 8, 15, 22, 29, 31.

ESTATE JOHN ENA.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST CIRCUIT, TERRITORY OF HAWAII—AT CHAMBERS. IN PROBATE.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Ena, Deceased, Testate.
Order for Notice of Hearing Petition for Probate of Will.

A document purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of John Ena, late of Honolulu, County of Oahu, deceased, having on the 14th day of December, A. D. 1906, been presented to said Probate Court, and a petition for the probate thereof, and for the issuance of letters testamentary to Father H. Valentin and Hawaiian Trust Co., Ltd., having been filed by said Father H. Valentin and Hawaiian Trust Co., Ltd.,

It is Ordered, That MONDAY, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the courtroom of said Court, at Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, be and the same hereby is appointed the time and place for proving said will and hearing said application.

It is further Ordered, That notice thereof be given, by publication once a week for three successive weeks, in the Pacific Commercial Advertiser, a newspaper published in the English language, the last publication to be not less than ten days previous to the time therein appointed for hearing.

Dated at Honolulu, Oahu, December 14, 1906.

(Signed) J. T. DE BOLT,

First Judge, First Circuit Court.

Attest:

(Signed) J. A. THOMPSON,

Clerk.

Ballou & Marx, attorneys for petitioners.

7599—Dec. 15, 22, 29; Jan. 5.

OFFICE OF THE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, Honolulu, H. T., Dec. 14, 1906.—Sealed proposals in triplicate for providing concrete foundation, erecting flag staff, and painting same, at Kahalaiki, Honolulu, H. T., will be received here until 10 a. m. Dec. 24, 1906, and then opened. Blank proposals and information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for erecting flag staff" and addressed Captain James V. Heidt, 10th Inf., Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. A.

7600—Dec. 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Board of Control of the Harrison Mutual Burial Association, held November 30, 1906, Assessment No. 5 was called, to be due December 15 and delinquent January 15, 1907.

J. H. TOWNSEND,

Secretary.

NOTICE

My wife having left me, I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her in my name.

FRANK ANTONIO FARIA.

Honolulu, December 19, 1906. 7606

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